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NOTICE OF APPEAL

The Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Dear Commissioner:

We appeal to the Board of Appeals from the Final Rejection mailed Aug 31, 1999.

Applicants hereby petition for any necessary extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees or credit any overcharges associated with this communication to our Deposit Account No. 19-0750 (order no. EX98-001).

Respectfully submitted,

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